

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
FOI/PA
DELETED PAGE INFORMATION SHEET
FOI/PA# 1342422-0

Total Deleted Page(s) = 1
Page 20 ~ b6; b7C;

XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
X Deleted Page(s) X
X No Duplication Fee X
X For this Page X
XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

~~SECRET~~

(Title) I. F. STONE

(File No.) 100-22286* SUB C VOL 1

1. Photos & neg. of subj.; One photo & neg. of Esther Stone
2. Photos of [redacted]
3. Letter from Helen Bryan to subj. re speaking engagement in NYC & telegraph from him cancelling same
4. Circular letter, undated, announcing New Weekly Paper of I. F. Stone
5. Letter 4/29/53 from Clark Foreman to I. F. Stone Letter 5/18/53 from Clark Foreman to I.F. Stone re: Emergency Civil Liberties Committee 421 7th Ave
6. Prints & neg. of Isidor Feinstein Stone NYC
7. Promotion letter "I.F. Stone's Weekly"
8. Circular announcing a lecture to be given by the subj. at Odd Fellows Hall
9. One envelope addressed: I.F. Stone, 5618 Nebraska Ave., N.W., Wash., D.C.
10. Envelope addressed to [redacted] Business reply envelope; Subscription card from I.F. Stone's Weekly; circular letter from Stone's Weekly
11. Envelope addressed to [redacted] postmarked 2/27/57 with invitation to reception
12. Copy of I.F. Stone's Weekly dtd 11/11/57
13. Six photos & 1 neg. of PP application of I.F. Stone
14. Surveillance log "Unknow white male, observed in company of [redacted] (S)

Disposition:

3. Sent to NY 1-16-53

77-92983 add/ty
Classified by [redacted]
Declassify on: OADR
COMPT 318309

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~



~~SECRET~~

100-22286-1A

| | |
|----------------------|-----------------|
| SEARCHED | INDEXED |
| SERIALIZED <i>gj</i> | FILED <i>gj</i> |
| MAY 1 5 1967 | |
| FBI - WASH. D.C. | |

Date Received 7-27

From P.P. - State Dept.
(Name of contributor)

(Address of Contributor)

By
(Name of Special Agent)

To Be Returned Yes
No

Description:

1. 3 photos - 1 negative = Subject
2. 1 photo - 1 negative = Esther Stone

File No.

100-22286-1A1

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 10/23/03 BY JOB/3rd Flr

Comp #318389

b6
b7C



ESTHER M. STONE
1950

~~ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 11-19-01 BY SP233d/jc~~



ISIDORE F. STONE

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 09/24/2022 BY SP3 MJD/HJW
S18339



GEORGE F. STONE

400,00 - 22286 - 1A'

I. F. Stone

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 12-10-2009 BY SP2009

CONFIDENTIALITY

Date Received 8-27-51

From FBI - Boston
(Name of contributor)

(Address of Contributor)

By
(Name of Special Agent)

To Be Returned Yes
No

Description:

~~4 Photos~~

File No. 100-22286-116

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
8/8/2013 bdd/tcg

Comp 318319

b6
b7C

M303

b6
b7C

PHOTO TAKEN SEPT 1950

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 10/9/02 BY 983 add/ctg

Compt# 318309

WFO-100-2228L-1A²
ROS FILE 65-3532

Date Received 1-16-53

From Mid City P.D. Postbox

(Name of contributor)

(Address of contributor)

By T C Ries

(Name of Special Agent)

To Be Returned Yes()

No()

Description:

*Circular letter undated
announcing new weekly
paper) T F STONE to
begin 1-17-53.*

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED

HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED

DATE 1/19/02 BY 100-22286-11-4

File No. 100-22286-11-4

A Personal Letter from I. F. Stone

Dear Friend:

The sudden closing of the Compass was a shock to all of us. Many readers have written to ask what my plans are and where they can read my column in the future.

I am deeply grateful for these inquiries, but I must now report that I see no way to continue as a daily newspaper columnist without hauling down my flag. There is no big city daily willing to let me call the shots as I see them.

Many of you have already suggested that I start a newsletter. I am convinced that there is no way to go on doing the kind of newspaper work I have always done except to strike out on my own.

I am therefore preparing to launch on January 17 I.F. Stone's Weekly, a 4-page letter size ($8\frac{1}{2} \times 11$) miniature newspaper of uninhibited commentary and let-the-chips-fall-where-they-may reporting from Washington and elsewhere, wherever the news is hottest.



With a new Republican Administration in Washington, I want to give you from week-to-week a vivid picture of what is really going on there, to supply information you cannot get elsewhere, and to go on providing the kind of service I rendered through my column in the Compass.

It was never more important to find some means of keeping alive the voice of protest in the American press, some place in which to go on giving aid and comfort to the victims of oppression in our time. The next four years will be decisive for peace and for the maintenance of free institutions at home. I propose to make this, the biggest story in the world, my business.

This letter is the first step in launching the new weekly, and the first test of the support to be expected for it. The subscription price will be \$5 a year. The job I want to do cannot be done without you. I need your help NOW. Please mail me your check for \$5 TODAY and get at least one other person (more, if you will) to do the same.

What you do today will determine whether I can go on serving you as an independent journalist in the fight for peace and freedom.

With many thanks,

I. F. Stone
I. F. Stone

P. S. There is room on the reverse side for your name and address, and those of any friends to whom you may wish to send a gift subscription.

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 1/19/02 BY 9831dd/tcy
Conf 4318309

Name _____

Name _____

Street _____

Street _____

City _____ State _____

City _____ State _____

Name _____

Name _____

Street _____

Street _____

City _____ State _____

City _____ State _____

Name _____

Name _____

Street _____

Street _____

City _____ State _____

City _____ State _____

Name _____

Name _____

Street _____

Street _____

City _____ State _____

City _____ State _____

PLACE
STAMP
HERE

I. F. STONE'S WEEKLY

ROOM 14A

20 EAST 35th STREET

NEW YORK 16, N. Y.

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 7/19/02 BY 983 add/pag

I. F. STONE'S WEEKLY
ROOM 14A
20 EAST 35TH STREET
NEW YORK 16, N. Y.

Sec. 34.66, P. L. & R.
U. S. POSTAGE
PAID
NEW YORK, N. Y.
Permit No. 13983

b6
b7C

[REDACTED]
P O BOX 6005
MID CITY BRANCH
I-4TH & RHODE ISLAND
WASH D C OCT 23-51 N

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 7/19/02 BY SP-11873
Comp # 318389

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
EXCEPT WHERE SHOWN
OTHERWISE DECLASSIFICATION AUTHORITY DERIVED FROM
FBI AUTOMATIC DECLASSIFICATION GUIDE
DATE 08-19-2010

Date Received 6/30/53

From TRASH COVER ON STONE

(Name of contributor)

DC INCINERATOR, 2nd and Q St.

(Address of contributor)

By SA [redacted]

(Name of Special Agent)

To Be Returned Yes

No

Description: Declassify on: QADR

Letter 4/29/53 from Clark

Foreman to I.F. Stone

Letter 5/18/53 from Clark

Foreman to I.F. Stone

Re: Emergency Civil Liberties
Committee, 421 W. Ave, N.Y.

File No. 100-22286-1A-5

CONFIDENTIAL

b6
b7C

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

Keep That Crack from Widening!

EMERGENCY CIVIL LIBERTIES COMMITTEE

421 SEVENTH AVENUE, NEW YORK 1, N. Y.

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

OXFORD 5-2863

May 18, 1953

7/13/92
Classified by 983 red/ley
Declassify On: OADR

Dear Izzy:

I have just come back from a very pleasant and, I hope, fruitful weekend with Scott Buchanan and Alexander Meiklejohn. Scott is definitely willing to carry on as Chairman but feels that it is most important for us to think through the basic policies and develop a strategy of action as soon as possible. He has agreed to prepare a paper which he will present to the Executive Committee next Saturday, in the hope that the Executive Committee can from that produce a statement for the National Council meeting.

I know how busy you are and I don't intend to continue calling on you to come to New York. But in these next two sessions your presence is really very much needed. Scott was particularly anxious to know about your attitude on policy and I am sure it would mean a great deal to him to have you here on Saturday. We plan to gather for lunch at Bob Rosenwald's, 314 East 69th, and to have the general discussion on Scott's paper at that time. Then the idea is to break down into two committees, one on policy and one on organization. These committees would then report back to the Executive Committee when it reconvenes that evening at 8 in Leonard Boudin's home.

Please do your best to be here.

Cordially,

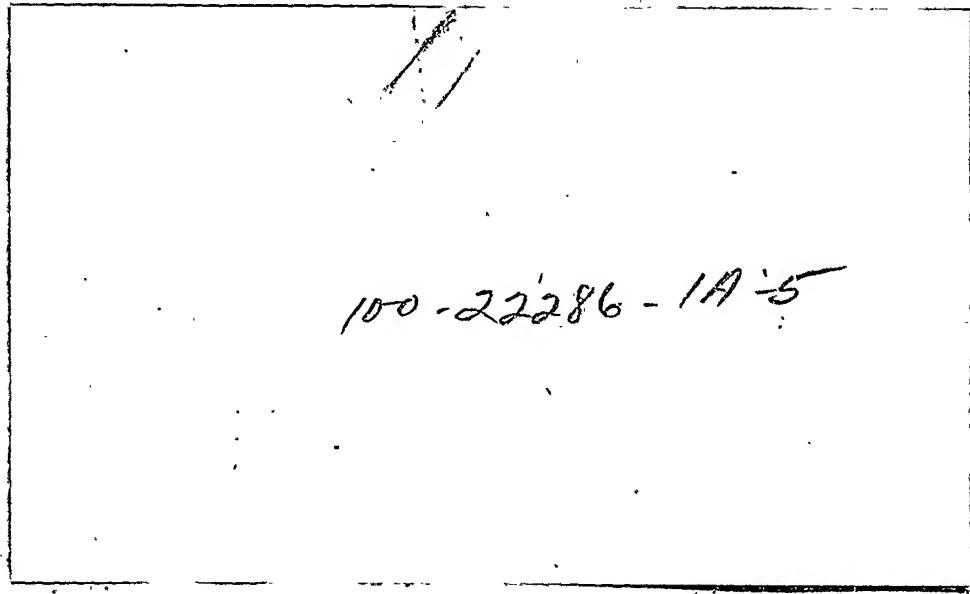
Clark

Clark Foreman, Director

Mr. I. F. Stone
5618 Nebraska Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C.

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~



100-22286-1A-5

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

Tc 6/30/53
as off.

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

The Emergency Civil Liberties Committee
421 Seventh Ave.
New York 1, N.Y.

April 29

Dear Izzy

7/13/92
Classified by 9803 red/Hey
Declassify on: OADR

The Emergency Civil Liberties Committee is considering publishing the enclosed statement as an advertisement in the New York Times. We would be very glad to get your comments. If you would be willing to join others as individual signers, please sign your name on the second page and return to us as soon as possible.

No choice!

If the decision is made to publish the ad we will have to have all the copy in the hands of the New York Times not later than Monday, May 4th. So may I ask for your immediate attention.

Yours sincerely,

Clark

Clark Foreman, Director

See you on May 7th

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

AT LAST, AT LONG LAST. . .

"At last, at long last there are signs that the conscience and common sense of the American people may be stirring themselves to impose a brake upon the orgy of 'investigations' which have been squandering public funds, diverting Congressmen from their major responsibilities, pre-empting a disproportionate attention in the press, intimidating innocent and unimpeachably loyal citizens, and slowly permeating the national consciousness with habits of suspicion and distrust. . .

"Excessive and irresponsible Congressional investigation has become a national peril as well as a national scandal, demanding public attention and publicly determined constraint."

Rev. Dr. Henry P. Van Dusen, President
Union Theological Seminary

WHEN REP. VELDE, CHAIRMAN OF THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES, PUBLICLY ADMITTED THAT THE COMMITTEE'S PROGRAM MIGHT INCLUDE AN INVESTIGATION OF THE CHURCHES, PROTESTS RANG OUT FROM PULPITS ACROSS THE NATION.

"Overawe them, terrify them and they will follow docilely, was the Devil's suggestion. It seems to be Senator McCarthy's and Congressman Velde's, and a great many others' today - who are demonstrating that they believe God and the Nation are best served by the frightened and credulous collaborators of a servile brand of patriotism. It comes mighty close to 'tempting God' when anyone operates on the assumption that he is the divinely constituted guardian of other men's consciences, other men's patriotism or thoughts."

Dean Francis B. Sayre, Jr.
Washington Cathedral

"Congressman Harold H. Velde has done a disservice to democracy by deliberately manufacturing distrust of honorable and responsible public leaders."

Rabbi David H. Panitz, Washington, D. C.

"We express the hope that the result of this threat may be quite other than the Congressman expected, namely, that the clergy of America will speak up more vigorously than ever, and in larger numbers, in defense of their rights as American citizens to think as their consciences dictate and to speak and write those thoughts without fear or favor."

THE WITNESS (Protestant Episcopal)

BUT THE CHURCH IS NOT ONLY THE MAN IN THE PULPIT. IT IS ALSO THE PEOPLE IN THE PEWS.

IT IS YOU.

THE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE EYES THE CHURCH WITH MISTRUST BECAUSE IT IS A PLACE FOR VALUES AND IDEALS. THE COMMITTEE WOULD SPREAD A SILENCE OF FEAR WHEREVER MEN GATHER FOR A FREE EXCHANGE OF IDEAS.

"Protestants ought to insist upon the primacy of the Bill of Rights. Other times may come when they will need it. Government by terror is not true to the American way of life."

THE WATCHMAN-EXAMINER (Baptist)

THE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE ATTACKS THE TEACHER IN ORDER TO LIMIT THE EDUCATION OF THE STUDENT. THAT IS YOU, YOUR CHILDREN.

"These investigations are cutting at the most fundamental ideals of our Constitution. To do with tax money what is now being done is as dangerous as what you will find in any totalitarian country. Religious liberty is involved in this matter - the liberty of all of us."

G. Bromley Oxnam (Methodist Bishop of Washington)

THE COMMITTEE ATTACKS THE ACTOR, THE DIRECTOR, THE PRODUCER IN ORDER TO CONTROL WHAT IS SHOWN TO THE AUDIENCE. THAT IS YOU.

"The whipping up by Congressional committees of hysterical fears and the irresponsible attacks upon individuals who are not given an adequate opportunity to defend themselves - procedures that have occurred in recent years - must be condemned as un-American and dangerous."

Union of American Hebrew Congregations

THE COMMITTEE ATTACKS THE WRITER AND THE PUBLISHER IN ORDER TO CENSOR WHAT IS OFFERED TO THE READER. THAT IS YOU.

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

Date Received 7/13
From Secret Service
(Name of contributor)
white House Detail
(Address of contributor)
By Agent
To Be Returned Yes
No

b6
b7C

Description:

2-neg + 12 prints

(note there are half face prints and have to be joined for full face).

ISIDOR FEINSTEIN STONE, WES

File No. 100-22286-1A-6

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 7/19/93 BY 783rd dpt/lay

Comp #318309



ISIDOR FEINSTEIN STONE, was

WFO 100-22286

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 7/9/02 BY 983rd ddy

100-22286-1A-6

Compt 318909



ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED

HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED

DATE 7/9/02

BY 983 hadley

Comp # 318309

100-22286-17-6



ISIDOR F. STONE
1950

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 11/9/02 BY SPK
CUST 100-318309

100-22286-1A¹³



9-61-98 ECP-291

INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 11/9/92 BY 9831dcp

Comp # 318309



ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 1/19/2023 BY 9003/ldd/tcy

Compt# 318309

100-22286-149-6.

Date Received 12/4/53

MAIL ADDRESSED TO OFFICE SUBSCRIPTION
From To "IF STONE'S WEEKLY"

(Name of contributor)

(Address of contributor)

By

(Name of Special Agent)

To Be Returned Yes
No

Description:

PROMOTION LETTER

"IF STONE'S WEEKLY"

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED

IN THIS DOCUMENT

IS UNCLASSIFIED

BY 903kdd/tcg

7/9/92
Cmp# 318309

File No. 100-22286-1A-1

b6
b7c

100-22286-1A-7

I. F. STONE'S WEEKLY

301 E. Capitol Street

Washington 3, D.C.

I. F. STONE, Editor and Publisher

LI. 4-7087

Dear Friends and Readers:

This is something new on the Left -- a success story. Thanks to you, this first annual report of I. F. Stone's Weekly is a cheerful one. Just one year ago, after the New York Daily Compass closed down, I launched plans for the Weekly in a similar mailing, as a last desperate attempt to keep alive the kind of independent journalism in which I had participated on the Compass and before it on the New York Star and PM.

The Weekly is now a reality. As its first year of existence comes to a close in January, it reaches readers in every single State of the Union, all the Territories and eight provinces of Canada. By normal ratios, it is probably being read by close to 50,000 people a week. That is something in the age of McCarran and McCarthy.

But it is not enough. I want to expand in the New Year. I want to widen the channels of communication in America for honest reporting from Washington. At a time when the newspapers are deluged with tidal waves of hate, poison, propaganda and misinformation, I want to reach more people with the message of peace and with libertarian principles.


The Weekly has already made its mark. In one situation after another, as in the recent circus staged by McCarthy at Fort Monmouth and in the Korean atrocity campaign, the Weekly has furnished facts not available elsewhere. Its on-the-spot reporting of the Oxnam appearance before the House Committee on Un-American Activities won wide attention. The London New Statesman and Nation commented last summer that it would never have known of the new McCarran bill to deprive witnesses of their privilege against self-incrimination if it had not read of the bill in I. F. Stone's Weekly. Our special issue on the new McCarran bill last July sold more than 21,000 copies and is still in demand. One great Midwestern university only last week ordered five copies for its library.

That bill if passed and upheld will force liberals and radicals to go to jail or become informers on their friends and relatives. The more people we can reach the more we can alert as to the danger of this monstrous measure. What we can do depends on you.

This letter is going out to 50,000 friends and readers -- those who now subscribe to the Weekly and others who have not yet subscribed but who read my columns in PM, the New York Star or the Compass. The subscription price is still \$5 a year, but we are offering a two year sub at \$9 or a renewal and a gift sub for the same \$9 price.

Please renew or subscribe today and get at least one friend to join you. Use the blanks on the reverse side, and self-addressed envelope enclosed. NO STAMP IS REQUIRED. Just fill it out and mail to us TODAY.

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED

Gratefully yours,

HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED

DATE

BY

Comp # 318309

I. F. Stone

P.S.: The Weekly is in the black. But it was launched on a shoe-string and extra working capital is badly needed for a revolving fund with which to finance promotion mailings for new readers. I am setting up such a fund and those of you who can afford to help on this may do so. We are still taking Charter Subscriptions at \$100 a year and charter subscribers will get a specially bound volume of the full file of Weeklies each year.

(OVER)

PLEASE RENEW (or enter) my subscription for 1 year at \$5 (or 2 years at \$9) enclosed:

NAME.....

STREET..... ZONE.....

CITY..... STATE.....

PLEASE ENTER the following gift subs at \$4 additional enclosed:

NAME.....

STREET..... ZONE.....

CITY..... STATE.....

NAME.....

STREET..... ZONE.....

CITY..... STATE.....

NAME.....

STREET..... ZONE.....

CITY..... STATE.....

Subscription price: \$5 a year. For Canada and Mexico, add \$1. For England and Europe, \$10 by first class mail, \$15 by air mail; for Israel, Asia and Australia, \$10 by first class mail and \$20 for air mail.

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

DECLASSIFICATION AUTHORITY DERIVED FROM:
FBI AUTOMATIC DECLASSIFICATION GUIDE
DATE 08-19-2010

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
EXCEPT WHERE SHOWN
OTHERWISE

Date Received 1-30-54

From [Redacted] (ex) (Name of contributor)

(Address of contributor)

By Ronald L. Miller (Name of Special Agent)

To Be Returned Yes ()
No (x)

Description: Circular
announcing a lecture to
be given by the subject at
Odd Fellows Hall, January 22,
1954 under the auspices
of the Progressive Party of
the District of Columbia.

1/9/92
Classified by Ma3add/Hay
Declassify on: QADR
CNP #319309

File No. 100-22286-1A

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

b2
b7D

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

Rally to Keep This a Free America!!!

INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
EXCEPT WHERE SHOWN
OTHERWISE

b2
b7D

In his State of the Union Message, President Eisenhower declared:

"A Nation whose every citizen has good reason for bold hope; where effort is rewarded and prosperity is shared; where freedom expands and peace is secure—that is what I mean by a stronger America."

But----

Can freedom expand if wire-tapping is legalized and the 5th Amendment to the Constitution nullified?

Can peace be secure if dead men are defamed and spy scares whipped up to foment hatred and war hysteria?

1/9/92
Declassified by ~~903rd Inf Regt~~
Declassify per: OADR
Compt# 318309

Come and Hear "The Real Threat to Security"

The Truth About the Thought Control Drive

from

I. F. STONE

Noted Author and Washington Correspondent
Editor, *I. F. Stone's Weekly*

Friday, January 22nd

Odd Fellows Hall, 9th & T Streets, N. W. 8:45 P.M.

ADMISSION FREE

Auspices: Progressive Party of the District of Columbia

930 F Street, N. W. METropolitain 8-2477

100-22286-1A-8

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

FILE NUMBER 100-22286-1A (9)

DATE RECEIVED JAN 13 1956

FROM Rec'd from [redacted]
.....(Name of Contributor)

.....(Address of Contributor)

BY [redacted]
.....(Name of Special Agent)

TO BE RETURNED YES ()
NO (x)

DESCRIPTION: one envelope
addressed: I. F. Stone
5618 Nebraska Ave., N.W.
Washington, D.C.

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED

DATE 10/17/02 BY 203102/Hay

Comp# 318309

b2
b7D

b6
b7C

100-22286-1A
⑨

I. F. Stone
5618 Nebraska Ave., N.W.
Washington, D. C.

Rec'd from [redacted]
FEB 13 1966
SAC

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 10/10/01 BY 983rd
Compt# 318309

b2

b7D

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

DECLASSIFICATION AUTHORITY DERIVED FROM:
FBI AUTOMATIC DECLASSIFICATION GUIDE
DATE 08-20-2010

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
EXCEPT WHERE SHOWN
OTHERWISE

File No. 100-22286-1A10

Date Received 12-19-56

From Frank Cover
(Name of Contributor)

[Redacted] WDC
(Address of Contributor)

By [Redacted]
(Name of Special Agent)

To Be Returned Yes #318309

No

7/1/92 Classified by 7/23/92 add/Hay

Description: Declassify on: OADR

b6
b7C

- 1) Envelope addressed to [Redacted]
from I.F. Stone's Weekly
- 2) Business Reply Envelope
addressed to I.F. Stone's Weekly
- 3) Subscription card from I.F. Stone's Weekly, addressed to [Redacted]
- 4) Circular letter from I.F. Stone's Weekly soliciting renewed subscriptions.

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

I. F. STONE'S WEEKLY

301 E. Capitol Street
Washington 3, D. C.

I. F. STONE, *Editor and Publisher*

LI. 4-7087

Dear Friend and Reader:

No matter who wins the election, we wake up on the morning of November 7 facing the same urgent problems—chief among them the prevention of war abroad and the ending of the witch hunt at home. In its four years of existence the Weekly has proven its usefulness in both tasks. Time after time, we have provided basic documents and information available in no other publications, and printed them quickly when the news was fresh.



One recent example: no other weekly or daily paper printed the text of the Mazzei document, a feature of our special issue on "Informers and the Smith Act" which led the Supreme Court to reverse the Pittsburgh Smith Act convictions and remand them for a new trial. Another example was our Special Issue on the H-Bomb, which made available authoritative material the *New York Times* and most newspapers did not think fit to print. No four page paper has ever given its readers so much documented material not available elsewhere as we have done since we began publication on June 17, 1953.

That was about as insalubrious a time as anyone could have chosen to launch an independent paper of any kind. McCarthy (you may recall the name) had just become chairman of the Senate Government Operations Committee. That year was to see his power at its peak. Who, then, would have given odds on our ability to keep the Weekly going, much less have predicted that within four years McCarthy would be in eclipse? With the changes at home have come equally striking and hopeful changes abroad.

The tide is running our way. The Weekly in four years has grown and prospered. I am deeply grateful to readers for having made it possible during some of the darkest years—for non-conformists—of American history. This annual letter is a letter to say "thank you." It is also an appeal, not for funds, but for help in reaching more people this year.

Please send your renewal in now, if you have not already done so. (The expiration date appears plainly beneath your address on the Weekly.) Help us grow and fight for a more peaceful world and a freer America by giving a subscription to the *Weekly* as Christmas (or Chanukah) gift to your friends. This year we are offering a special rate of \$4 for one gift sub, \$7.50 for two and only \$10 for three. Use the enclosed card and we will send a gift announcement with the new subscriptions if you wish.

Gratefully,

Your friend,

J. F. Stone

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 7/9/92 BY SP3/kd/jt
CONF # 318309

PLEASE RENEW (or enter) my subscription for 1 year at \$5 (or 2 years at \$9) enclosed:

NAME.....

STREET..... ZONE.....

CITY..... STATE.....

PLEASE ENTER the follow gift subs at \$4 for 1; \$7.50 for 2; \$10 for 3;

NAME.....

STREET..... ZONE.....

CITY..... STATE.....

Date you wish sub to start..... Do you wish announcement sent.....

NAME.....

STREET..... ZONE.....

CITY..... STATE.....

Date you wish sub to start..... Do you wish announcement sent.....

NAME.....

STREET..... ZONE.....

CITY..... STATE.....

Date you wish sub to start..... Do you wish announcement sent.....

Subscription price: \$5 a year. For Canada and Mexico, add \$1. For England and Europe, \$10 by first class mail, \$15 by air mail; for Israel, Asia and Australia, \$10 by first class mail and \$20 for air mail.



~~CONFIDENTIAL~~
PLEASE RETURN THIS CARD WITH YOUR REMITTANCE
SELF ADDRESSED STAMPED ENVELOPE IS ENCLOSED FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE

RENEWAL

To I. F. STONE'S WEEKLY, Dr.
301 East Capitol St. S. E.
Washington 3, D. C.

To:

7/7/92
Classified by 6031d/1b
Declassify or b6 b7C
b7D #31830

WASHINGTON 11 D C
JAN-27-20

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~
One year's subscription to STONE'S WEEKLY..... \$5.00
or 2 years at \$9.00. Enter gift subscriptions on reverse side.

Please send Xmas gift subs to (one for \$4.50 or \$7.50; three for only \$10):

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

Name

Street

City Zone..... State.....

Date you wish sub to start.....

Do you wish gift card sent?

~~ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED~~

~~HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED EXCEPT~~

~~WHERE SHOWN OTHERWISE.~~

Name

Street

City Zone..... State.....

Date you wish sub to start.....

Do you wish gift card sent?

Name

Street

City Zone..... State.....

Date you wish sub to start.....

Do you wish gift card sent?

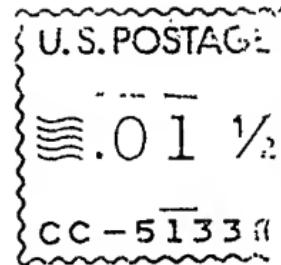
~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

I. F. Stone's Weekly

301 East Capitol Street
Washington 3, D. C.

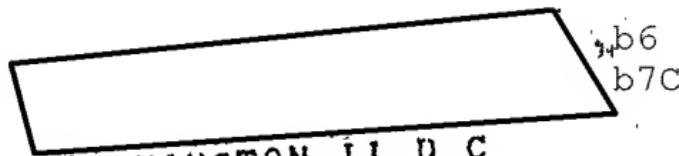
34



DEC 5 1962 P.L. & R.

No Matter Who Wins

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~



WASHINGTON 11 D C
JAN-17-22

Classified by

Declassify on: OADR

Comp# 318339

(C)

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

100-22286-1A10

PULL OUT FOR POSTAL INSPECTION

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

~~ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 10/22/07 BY SP3/8309~~

FIRST CLASS
PERMIT NO. 30286
(SEC. 34.9, P.L.&R.)
WASHINGTON, D. C.

BUSINESS REPLY ENVELOPE

No Postage Stamp Necessary if Mailed in the United States

4c POSTAGE WILL BE PAID BY

I. F. Stone's Weekly,

301 East Capitol Street,

Washington 3, D. C.

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
EXCEPT WHERE SPECIFICALLY
CATEGORIZED OTHERWISE
DATE 08-20-2010

DECLASSIFICATION AUTHORITY DERIVED FROM:
FBI AUTOMATIC DECLASSIFICATION GUIDE
DATE 08-20-2010

File No. 100-22286-1A11

Date Received 3/21/57

From Frank Cover
(Name of Contributor)

[Redacted] (WDC)
(Address of Contributor) (Ex)

By [Redacted]
(Name of Special Agent)

To Be Returned Yes
No

Description:

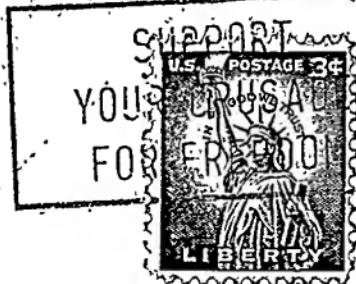
- 1) Envelope addressed to [Redacted]
[Redacted] postmarked 2/27/57 at
New York, N.Y. (Ex)
- 2) Invitation to reception at
Stone residence Mar. 6 (1957)

7/9/92 QD3 Rdd/Hay
Classified by QDR
Declassify on: CADR
Comp # 318309

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

b6
b7c

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~



b6
b7C

Washington, D.C.

7/9/92
Classified by 983 rdaf

Declassify on: QADR

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~ Comp# 318309

100-22286-1A 11

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Stone

request the pleasure of your company
at an informal reception at their home
5648 Nebraska Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C.

Wednesday evening, March sixth, at 8:30

to meet

7/9/92 Classified by 983 add/ka

Declassify on: OADR #3183

Mrs Daniel Marshall, President of the Women for Legislative Action, past President of the Catholic Women's Club of Los Angeles, and a member of the National Council of the Emergency Civil Liberties Committee.

Mr. Frank Wilkinson, Secretary of the Los Angeles Citizens Committee to Preserve American Freedoms.

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

File No. 100-22286-1A-17

Date Received 11-12-57

From _____
(Name of Contributor)

By _____
(Name of Special Agent)

To Be Returned Yes ()
No (✓)

Description:

Description:
COPY OF T. F. STONE'S WEEKLY
11/11/59

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 7/9/97 BY SP/3 rd/10/97
Comptt 318309

b6
b7c

I. F. Stone's Weekly

VOL. V, NO. 43

NOVEMBER 11, 1957

101

WASHINGTON, D. C.

15 CENTS

Too Late to Catch Up?

The extent of the Russian break-through in space-science and the dimensions of the American defeat are only beginning to be visible. When Lyndon Johnson told a press conference here, "The Russians are ahead of us period," he was making a statement whose full import will slowly unfold itself in the months to come. In the lower echelons of the Capitol, where the real study is done, a suspicion is growing that we may never really "catch up" and will only make ourselves ludicrous when we finally send aloft that first 5-pound satellite alongside not only half-ton Sputnik II but probably more sensational Russian achievements in the skies.

Needed: A Revolution in Education

What the Russians are doing today was begun ten years ago, and we must begin now to plan for 10 and 20 years hence, not just our own satellites, but new technological break-throughs as yet undreamed of, if our national pride is to be saved. But an achievement on a comparable scale will require us to revolutionize our educational system, to raise the general level of everyone's scientific knowledge, to give teaching a lucrative and honored place in our society, and to provide the funds to guarantee that no talented youngster will fall by the way side because he cannot afford a higher education. Some of the billions now spent on arms will have to be shifted to the schools; the choice is between obsolete bombers and obsolete minds. Unfortunately, as Lyndon Johnson also said, "a conservative approach" will not do the job. The Eisenhower Administration still clings to the premise that education is primarily a local matter, though a bold speech by Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare Marion Folsom (see page two) shows one fresh mind at work in the Cabinet.

The blunt truth is that the United States cannot afford at this moment in its history to be led by a figurehead retired General, who has neither the knowledge nor the drive for the Presidency, buttressed by a Secretary of State whose slippery utterance, reckless spirit and unctuous claims to partnership with God have earned him universal distrust and distaste. Mr. Dulles at press conference admitted that we were unlikely again to have "during the foreseeable future" the kind of preponderance of military power we had in 1948 or 1949; he spoke of the impossibility of "maintaining the great gap that did exist a decade ago." But what the Pentagon fears is that the balance has already shifted; its nightmare is a space platform from which the Soviets could police the earth. But our diplomacy (if it can be called that) is still based on a situation of strength and an ability to dictate terms which no longer exist if they ever did. When the first news of Krushchev's renewed call for a summit conference and co-existence began coming over the State Department ticker, the official spokesman evaded comment by saying that we hadn't seen the

Where We're Still Ahead

Q. Mr. Secretary . . . you said that one of the reasons or the reason for the recent Soviet technological achievements is that they have been concentrating for 40 years on this military aspect of technology. But on Friday the President's Committee of Scientists and Engineers briefed the press on this issue and said, "We must puncture this myth that the Russians succeeded by concentrating all energies on military things. They have concentrated on so broad a variety of fields that it reads like a list of everything that man can do." . . . *

A. If I said they were concentrating just upon the military, that was too narrow a statement of the case. They have been concentrating primarily upon scientific and technological work, which is largely utilized by the military, altho not exclusively so. But they do not allow many of their youth, I think any of their youth, to go to theological seminaries.

—Secretary Dulles, at press conference, Nov. 5.

*This statement never got into the U.S. press. Mr. Dulles's questioner, Philip Deane, of the London Observer, was the only correspondent who showed up at that science briefing, and the wire services—which were represented—did not think it worth reporting!—IFS

complete text—as if that could make a difference. Yet the new Democratic victories hold out hope of no alternative; the latest pronouncements of Mr. Truman and Mr. Acheson show they fundamentally share the Dulles outlook, and are still wedded to the delusion that an intensified arms race may again give us something like that vanished atomic monopoly. Only Gen. Omar Bradley, in a speech at press time on the fatal idiocy of an electronic arms race, struck a rational note in this capital.

Where America Could Win in Humanity's Esteem

The ticker from Moscow indicates that insofar as domestic policy is concerned, Stalin is being upgraded as well as imitated by Krushchev; Zhukov's dismissal may be followed by another purge of the armed forces as in the 30's; in Poland, where there had been hope, the curtains are slowly being lowered, and the Communist parties everywhere are being shaken down again to an obedient core. The promise of the Twentieth Congress fades. Russia has made prodigious strides in science, but, after 40 years, the dictatorship of the proletariat is still a dictatorship over the proletariat; the people are still in tutelage; the press still feeds them pre-digested decisions supported by one-sided versions of what has occurred in the upper ruling circles. This absence of freedom, this lack of democracy, is a weakness not a strength. In a race for the esteem of mankind, peacefully competing, this is the terrain on which our country could cover itself with honor—if we had the courage really to encourage freedom at home, instead of merely talking about ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED

HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 7/9/92 BY 983 Kidd/Hay
Comp # 318309

Will All That Pooling Talk End Only in Lifting the Atomic Restrictions on Germany?

The U.S. As Well as the U.S.S.R. Is Walking Out on the Arms Talks

The day Soviet Deputy Foreign Minister Kuznetsov announced the Soviet Union's withdrawal from the UN's present 12-man disarmament committee and its 5-man subcommittee, the *Washington Post's* Chalmers Roberts was being briefed at the State Department on the fact that (*Washington Post*, Nov. 5) the Eisenhower-Macmillan "pooling" program was based on the "grim" assumption "that no agreements can be negotiated with the Kremlin," adding (in a resounding understatement) that Secretary Dulles "never has been an enthusiast for negotiating with the Soviet Union." This is not so different from the heart of Kuznetsov's statement. He asked the UN Political and Security Committee how one could expect results from the 5-nation arms subcommittee when four of them are members of NATO and the Eisenhower-Macmillan communique of October 25 pinned NATO's hopes on "the intensification of the arms race."

Men to Watch Indeed

In this connection it is worth noting that pressure is being exerted from Washington (1) to discourage France from making its own atomic weapons and (2) to revise the 1954 agreements under which Germany agreed not to make atomic, biological, or chemical weapons and rockets. . . . A headline in the London *Daily Sketch* of Nov. 2 illustrates the build-up to be expected, "Big Two Call in German A-Brains". . . . The "pool" idea is already dead, though it hangs on in the after-fumes of the headlines. . . . Congressional coldness and Dulles's hostility is turning the idea toward a system of division of labor rather than pooling of brainpower. Each of the Western allies would work on specific projects, sharing the results by bilateral agreement. We would keep the major projects for ourselves, thus avoiding an outcry in Congress about security and the giving away of secrets. Since this is quite different from true partnership, and too much like the over-ballyhooed but long moribund NATO Mutual Weapons Development Program of three years ago, it will provoke sour reactions at next month's Paris meeting. . . .

The 'Loopholes' Go Back to 1776

New step in the glorification of our secret police: Don Whitehead's feeble official portrait of the FBI is now to be filmed with Jimmy Stewart playing the lead role as an FBI

Higher Salaries, More Respect for 'Profs' . . . Pay for College Students?

"It doesn't do much good, however, to provide quality graduate study facilities and fellowships for potential teachers if what lies beyond graduate school is social and economic disappointment. It is nothing short of a national disgrace that we are discouraging people who want to teach by offering salaries that are far below the level justified by their training and far below the levels which others are willing to pay. . . . If college teachers in these fields are not paid adequately, they will soon become as scarce as competent science teachers in high schools. . . ."

"In a sense, however, low salaries for college teachers are simply a reflection of a more fundamental fault—the lack of respect accorded to teaching by the public. A society that has become preoccupied with action [and money—IFS] has, I am afraid, tended to neglect those whose function is

—Marion B. Folsom, Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare, Conf. on Sc. Educ., Chicago, Nov. 2.

For Journalism Students

If a minister of the gospel were kidnapped and beaten in the Soviet Union, the story would be on every front page in America. But it was hard work on Nov. 5 finding the story of how a Rev. T. D. Wesley was horse-whipped by three car-loads of attackers the night before in Selma, Ala. We couldn't find it in the New York Times but the *Washington Post* gave it four paragraphs on page 19 and the *Baltimore Sun* three paragraphs on page 3.

Indifference bordering on contempt was evident in the way the Associated Press handled the story. The rival United Press lead said "Three carloads of white men, including one in a 'Klan-type' mask, kidnapped and horse-whipped a Negro minister, Sheriff Carl A. Griffin reported tonight" and added that the minister was whipped when he refused to "talk about Negro integration leaders in the State." But the Associated Press omitted any mention of the motive and began its story this way, "A Negro minister says he was lashed by white men as he drove home from his church." It ended, "Officers said he was severely beaten but not seriously injured." No doubt the boys were just funnin'.

agent. "The task now," Dorothy Maunders reported from Hollywood in the Hearst press Nov. 4, "is to find the actor to play the J. Edgar Hoover part when Hoover was about 29. Although Hoover's role is not dominant, it was J. Edgar himself who personally negotiated the deal with Jack Warner for the screen rights." . . . In his address to the FBI National Academy Nov. 4 Hoover said that in 1949 the nation was "confronted with a subversive conspiracy of staggering proportions. The Communist party itself numbered well over 50,000 members . . ." If 50,000 Communists are "staggering" in a nation of 170,000,000, then Italy and France, each with less than a quarter our population but with several million Communists should have staggered to their doom long ago. . . . Hoover's main theme was the "lack of vision and misdirected effort" which was enabling criminals "and subversive elements" to use "loopholes" in the law. . . . In something of a new high in overstatement, Hoover declared, "A typographical error in a warrant or indictment can paralyze the wheels of justice"—but only until it has been retyped. . . . The real "loopholes" are in the Bill of Rights—the Fathers seem to have been the original subversives. . . .

somewhat more remote from the arena of activity. The task of reestablishing the college professor as a key figure in our society, worthy of society's high regard and reward, is a task that requires more than raising salaries. . . .

"It disturbs me greatly that the best estimates available indicate that about one-third of the top-quarter of our high school graduates do not now go on to college. This is a serious national waste. . . . the concept that a student's tuition fee should be equal to the total cost of his education . . . seems to assume that only the individual derives benefits from his education, and it tends to limit opportunities for higher education to those who are relatively wealthy. . . ."

"The most qualified Russian high school graduates—about 30 percent—are offered free higher education, and all but the weakest students are actually paid for going to college."

A Debate the Press Ignored: The U.S. "Abstains" Again on South African Racism

State Department "Tones Down" Its UN Delegation on Apartheid

United Nations, N. Y.

In 1952 the U.S. voted to put *apartheid* on the agenda of the United Nations General Assembly but has always abstained from voting on any resolution which specifically criticized South Africa for racial discrimination. Again this past week when the General Assembly, sitting as the Special Political Committee, voted 59 to 5, with 10 abstentions, appealing to South Africa to "revise its policy," the U.S. abstained.

Less surprising than this abstention was the equivocal speech made by Herman B. Wells, president of Indiana University, the U.S. spokesman in the debate. Except for the *Baltimore Sun*, whose Paul W. Ward gives the UN unusually comprehensive coverage, the press seems to have ignored the entire debate.

Ward reported (Nov. 1) that Wells, a Republican, wanted to make a strong speech because of Little Rock and that two other U.S. delegates, George Meany and Philip M. Klutznick of B'nai Brith, "helped Wells draft a stronger speech" only to have it toned down by the State Department.

But, On The Other Hand . . .

The queasy wording of the speech as finally delivered avoided any direct condemnation of *apartheid*. It said South Africa's policy is "under attack here, as discriminatory." On the other hand, Mr. Wells added, South Africa claimed that *apartheid* was "non-discriminatory and not oppressive" but "the best solution . . . for the difficult problem."

Wells then went on to say that "without condoning in any way" South Africa's policy, "a number of other governments openly practice policies which deprive their citizens of basic human rights." Racial problems were "complex" and the UN might help by "positive studies" but had no power and although this was the sixth session at which the Assembly had discussed the question, "we have regrettably seen no improvement." This was as close as he came to expressing disapproval.

This year only five nations voted against the resolution; all white and all colonial powers which govern colored peoples, four of them in Africa. The five were Australia, Belgium, France, Portugal, and Great Britain. The abstainers, besides the U.S., were Argentina, Canada, Dominican Republic, Finland, Italy, Netherlands, New Zealand, Peru, and Spain.

What the President Failed to Explain About the School Integration Ruling

President Eisenhower's fuzzy grasp of the integration issue was again evident in his press conference of Oct. 30. He said the South had lived "for 56 years under a social order that was approved by the Supreme Court, and specifically with respect to education, the theory of separate but equal facilities. Now they are asked to consider the whole system unconstitutional and, naturally, this causes difficulties." This is expressing it as the Southern white supremacists do, and helps to create the impression that the South is somehow the victim of the Supreme Court.

There are several things wrong with this way of putting it, aside from the puzzling reference to 56 years; *Plessy v. Ferguson*, which first established the separate but equal doctrine, was in 1896, or 61 years ago. The *Plessy* ruling was one in a series of decisions which cut down the protection the Fourteenth amendment was intended to give the Negro while building that amendment up as a safeguard of

Strange Kind of Guardian

"The government of the Union of South Africa defined the relationship of the European to the non-European community as being that of guardian to ward. What would be thought of a guardian who, in deliberate defiance of the best medical and scientific opinion, persisted in regarding his ward as mentally defective and treating him as such?"

—Cruise O'Brien (Ireland) UN Debate on Apartheid.

Spain still has, and Italy until the war did have, African possessions. Thus from the colored man's point of view the white empires either voted against the resolution or abstained, though not one nation spoke in defense of South Africa.

The Iranian delegate, in opening the debate, made the crucial point. There was race discrimination almost everywhere but South Africa "was the only one in the community of nations which had adopted racial segregation as a goal." Iraq said that in pursuit of this objective South Africa had begun "to apply rigorous measures of repression which would actually amount to genocide." Ghana protested that on *apartheid* the great Powers had taken refuge behind legal technicalities in sharp contrast to their position on Hungary.

Latin America Called Mulatto

Fabregat of Uruguay protested that the dark peoples of the Union of South Africa had been "sequestered" like people "in concentration camps" and cited the "repugnant" statement of its Prime Minister, who said that without *apartheid*, South Africa would become like "the mulatto republics of Latin America." The remark rankled everywhere below the Rio Grande. Ethiopia said South Africa was trying to spread its policy throughout the African continent and warned this might lead to "desperate actions."

India, on the last day of debate, expressed admiration for "the trend of legislation, enforcement and executive measures adopted by the United States under the leadership of a great President." Even this went unreported. The U.S. press treated the whole debate as of no importance. But in the question of *apartheid* we ignore a volcano, and put our moral pretensions to shame.

corporate rights.

When Justice Brown wrote for the Court in *Plessy* that while the Fourteenth amendment was, of course, intended to bring about "absolute equality of the two races before the law" but "could not have been intended to abolish distinctions based on color", he set a high water mark for sophistry. Harlan, dissenting, provided the perfect answer when he retorted that the Constitution was "color blind." But bad as *Plessy v. Ferguson* was, it did not do what the President implied. Neither that decision nor any other decision by the Supreme Court since slavery was abolished ever authorized white supremacy as practiced by the South. The Court did not, in talking of separate but equal facilities, endorse a social order actually based on separate and degradingly unequal facilities. It is this on which the country needs to educate, if the propaganda of the South is to be combatted. Education must begin in the White House.

Canada's Lester Pearson Attacks "Diplomatic Rigidity" and Frozen U.S. Policy

The First Western Statesman to Say the Missile Age Calls for Co-Existence

Lester B. Pearson, Canada's former Foreign Secretary, made a speech at the University of Minnesota Nov. 3 worthy of the 1957 Nobel Peace Prize recently awarded him. Except for an appreciative editorial in the Washington Post Nov. 6 and a news story in the New York Times, the U.S. press largely ignored the speech because it went counter to cold war policy. We give the gist of it here:

"... One of two things will happen. (1) Nuclear war with inter-continental missiles against which no present defense would save us from total destruction; or (2) Suspension between uneasy peace and global war in a state of tension and fear... all history shows that unless we do something about it, the second will ultimately lead to the first... nor does it do any good... to wrap ourselves in a cloak of impeccable rectitude and diplomatic rigidity..."

"What do we oppose to this controlled and centralized society? Too often, merely the well-born cliches of the superiority of freedom and democracy and our 'way of life'... Soviet life, Soviet policy, I know, is founded on power and compulsion, rather than consent. But are we sure that our own social purpose... is steady... The very word freedom has now lost some of its earlier angry meaning of stern and sturdy resistance to pressures and persecutions... Surely we are not going to escape total state control in order to seek security in the 'big organization' type of social and economic conformity..."

"We have, then, two duties in the West; first, to protect our institutions within the city walls from deterioration and decay, and then to defend the walls themselves.

The Supreme Obligation of All Men

"There is, however, a third and even more important duty: to bring about a state of affairs in the world where no one will wish to attack us at all—or we, them; where eventually walls themselves will be as much of an anachronism as trenches, barbed wire and forts on the U.S.-Canadian border. This is the supreme obligation of all men in all nations..."

"Our insistence on the primacy of this task of making peace by international negotiation; our seizure of every political opportunity to this end, does not mean that we should or need contemplate agreements which would betray either our friends or our principles. Indeed peace on such terms would be false and any arrangements made would be worthless. I know that there are those who look with suspicion on every move which is made that implies a desire or even a willingness to negotiate; who call it 'appeasement'—one of those words debased by polemics—or softness toward Com-

munism. Such critics forget that if total and unremitting hatred of Communism were the only test of loyalty to democratic ideals, Hitler would be the greatest democrat of all time..."

"I quite realize that the easiest, and in some quarters the most popular attitude that we could adopt in the cold war would be a relentless and immovable stand on a platform of inveterate and inflexible hostility to Soviet Russia and determined opposition to every move she makes or tries to make any place any time.

The Hope of Unconditional Surrender

"The corollary to this means taking steps to counter and defeat every such move in the hope that Russia will eventually accept without conditions our terms for ending the cold war and withdraw—actually and ideologically—behind her old Czarist boundaries. I see myself no prospect of any such easing of tension, and, ultimately, of international peace and security, if we base our policy and diplomacy on any such thesis..."

"I accept the fact that no matter how enlightened and flexible our policy, we cannot safely allow it to result in a weakening of what the military call our defense posture. If, however, we allow an exaggerated and provocative posture to result from, or be encouraged by, a rigid 'unconditional surrender' type of diplomacy, we make the establishment of peace through tolerable arrangements even more difficult than it is..."

"There is a ferment of freedom ever at work, even in Russia; for freedom, as the epic of Hungary has shown, cannot be rooted out of the human mind by force or by fraud. ... Such an evolution, however, will be held back, perhaps indefinitely, if we take fixed and final positions now in opposition to every Russian move. As I see it, if and when Russia has a legitimate interest in some area or some development, we would be foolish to act as if that interest can either be ignored or attacked.

"Such an attitude, of course, plays right into the hands of the worst elements inside the Kremlin. It also weakens our position in those nations who have no love for Communism but refuse, for reasons which seem perfectly good to them, to take sides in the cold war. There are situations in the world today which do not admit of any permanent solution which will bring about stability, without Russian participation in, and at least acceptance of, that solution. We might as well admit that hard fact..."

Remember, Please, Every Reader Get A Reader—and Widen the Audience for Peace

I. F. Stone's Weekly, 5618 Nebraska Ave., N. W.
Washington 15, D. C.

Please renew (or enter) my sub for the enclosed \$5:^{*}

Name

Street

CityZone.....State.....

Enter gift sub for \$4 (1 yr.) or \$2 (6 mos.) additional:
11/11/57

(To) Name

Street

CityZone.....State.....

Shall we send gift announcement? Yes No

I. F. Stone's Weekly

5618 Nebraska Ave., N. W.

Washington 15, D. C.

NEWSPAPER

Entered as
Second Class Mail
Matter
Washington, D. C.
Post Office

(Handwritten mark)

13

File No. WFO 100-22286 -1A

Date Received 1/29/59

From Passport Office

(Name of Contributor)

Dept. of State

(Address of Contributor)

By

(Name of Special Agent)

To Be Returned Yes)
No

Description:

Negative and 6 prints of passport
application photo of ISIDOR F. STONE

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 7/9/93 BY 9903 Rdd/fay
Compt# 318269

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~ ~~SECRET~~

b6
b7C

DECLASSIFICATION AUTHORITY DERIVED FROM:
FBI AUTOMATIC DECLASSIFICATION GUIDE
DATE 08-23-2010

File No. 100 - 22286-1A¹⁴

(U) Date Received 2/8/61(S)

From LH [redacted]
(N)

WFO
(Address of Contributor)

By SA
(Name of Agent)

To Be Returned Yes ()

Description: 7/13/92 ADP 903 add log
Classified by
Reclassify on: QADR

Surveillance log
entitled, "Unknown
(U) a late male, observed (S)
in Company of [redacted]
[redacted] and
[redacted] as

2/8/61

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

~~SECRET~~

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~b6
b7C~~SECRET~~

DECLASSIFICATION AUTHORITY DERIVED FROM:
 FBI AUTOMATIC DECLASSIFICATION GUIDE
 DATE 08-23-2010

SURVEILLANCE LOG

RE Unknown White Male, observed inCompany ofHOURS 103 6
Fri 6 10 26DATE 2/8/61

on 2/8/61

CONDUCTED BY

901

(2)

PLEASE INDEX:

I.F. Stone
Isidor Feinstein Stone

7/13/92
 Classified by 983 Rad/tay
 Declassify on: CADR

7/13/92

FILE NUMBER 100 22281

wash. D.C. address telephone
 directory reflects I.F. Stone as
 subscriber to phone at 5618 Nebraska Ave.

All surveillance agent viewed photos of
 Stone and found him to be identical
 with subject. *(S.D. 17) X*

| | |
|-------------------|--------------|
| SEARCHED..... | INDEXED..... |
| SERIALIZED..... | FILED..... |
| FEB 12 1961 | |
| FBI - WASH. D. C. | |

JEP

DATE 2/8/61
~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

I

~~SECRET~~

b6
b7C

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

DECLASSIFICATION AUTHORITY DERIVED FROM:
FBI AUTOMATIC DECLASSIFICATION GUIDE
DATE 08-23-2010

Physical Surveillance of Unknown White Male,
observed in Company of [redacted] and
[redacted] on 2/8/61.

Washington D.C.

February 8, 1961

7/13/92

Classified by 703rd AF

Declassify on: 0808

8⁰³ pm Unknown White male, (Unsub) observed entering
RDB China Inn, 631 H St NW where he immediately
got into [redacted] joined [redacted]
a booth. Shortly thereafter the three ordered a
(U) meal.

8³⁵ to 8⁵⁶ Above three individuals observed eating and
RDB P⁸ conversing

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED

DATE [redacted]

8⁵⁵ pm P⁸ Surveillance instituted outside of China Inn;
RDB vicinity of 7th and 11 Sts NW. A 1959 gray
get P⁸ Chevrolet sedan, DC license [redacted], belonging
to [redacted] observed parked on the south
side of H St between 6th and 7th Sts NW.

8⁵⁶ to 9⁰⁰ pm RDB P⁸ Sgt checker of China Inn disclosed above three
individuals eating and conversing

9³⁰ pm RDB P⁸ Above three individuals departed the China Inn
and entered above described automobile. On the
car they drove west on H St, after making a U-turn.
They continued west on H St, north on 9th St, east

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

~~SECRET~~

b6
b7C

Physical Surveillance of Unknown, White Male,
Observed in Company of [redacted] and
[redacted] on 2/8/61.

Washington D.C.

February 8, 1961

on E st., south on 6th St and west on H St
to the front of the China Inn

9³⁴ Unkn [redacted] entered the China Inn and immediately
RCB p
for P departed carrying a brief case. He again

[redacted] joined [redacted] in the above
(II) described car. They then proceeded west H St.,
New York Ave., Pennsylvania Ave., M St. and south

on Wisconsin Ave where all three parted

Company at 9⁵² pm.

9⁵³
RCB
for The unkn. hailed a cab and in the cab
joined directly to 5618 Nebraska Ave NW
via Wisconsin Ave and Nebraska Ave entering
at 10⁰⁵ pm.

10²⁵ pm Surveillance discontinued.

RCB
for The above unknown white male is described
as follows:

Race White

Sex Male

~~SECRET~~

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

~~SECRET~~

Physical Surveillance of Unknown, White
Male, observed in Company of [redacted]

[redacted] on 2/8/61

Washington D.C.

February 8, 1961

Pg 45

Height 5' 8"

Weight 170

(U) Hair Dark graying at temples

Build Medium heavy

Complexion Medium

Attire Gray suit, gray top coat, white shirt, tie,
jacketless, felt hat

Characteristics Prominent nose, receding chin,
worn steel rim glasses, leaning mid
left ear suspended by hand over head.

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

~~SECRET~~

~~SECRET~~

DECLASSIFICATION AUTHORITY DERIVED FROM:
FBI AUTOMATIC DECLASSIFICATION GUIDE
DATE 08-23-2010

100-22286-1A14

~~SECRET~~